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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, enclosed are references relating to the above-identified application. These references were cited in the International Search Report of the PCT application corresponding to the above-identified application. For the convenience of the Examiner, these references are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, and a copy of each is enclosed herewith.

I hereby state under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(e)(1) that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

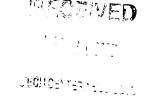
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As required under 37 C.F.R. 1.98 (a)(3), a concise explanation of the relevance of each publication that is not in English is provided below.

WO 94/26895 A2 appears to describe sequences for human immunoglobulin  $V_{H}$  genes.

FR 2751346 A appears to describe the nucleotide and amino acid sequences for a ScFv molecule.

No fees are deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. However, if a fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of this fee to Deposit Account No. 03-0370.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered in the examination of this application and that their consideration be made of written record in the application file.

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